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REQUEST FOR REINSTATEMENT

Sir:

Attorneys for the above-identified applicant received a Notice of Abandonment mailed December 27, 2004 for failure to respond to an Office letter mailed June 17, 2004. However, a response to said Office Action was mailed to the Patent and Trademark Office on July 13, 2004.

Attached hereto is a copy of the response and a postcard indicating receipt in the Patent and Trademark Office mailroom on July 19, 2004. Additionally, the document bears a Certificate of Mailing dated July 13, 2004.

It is therefore believed that evidence has been submitted to establish that a response to the Office Action dated June 17, 2004 was timely filed, and is therefore respectfully requested that prosecution on the above-identified application be reopened.

If there are any fees due in connection with this communication, please charge same to our Deposit Account No. 12-1095.

Respectfully submitted,

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